

A protester, a young men, went down hard after getting hit in the side of the head by something shot by the police. An ambulance has been called. He is bleeding and in a lot of pain. People are trying to help.

5:59 PM · May 27, 2020 · Twitter for iPhone



His eyes are closed. I am not posting images out of respect for now, the situation is tense. Will try to ask later.

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He seems to be hurt badly. Protesters are carrying him to safety.

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EXHIBIT 1



We are now by the Wendy's near the Target. I am wondering where the ambulance is and why there are not EMTs close at hand.

After yesterday, this was very predictable.

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He seems to be convulsing? This is hard to watch. Where is the ambulance? Concussion grenades going off and crowd scattering periodically.

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Activists loaded him into a car and it drove away, headed to the hospital. Help never came. I don't know what his condition was.

Riot police on horse back have arrived at the intersection.

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I am OK, home, icing my eye. It's swollen. It hit my nose first which helped

I wasn't trying to put myself at risk. I wanted to document what was happening to the young man who seemed critically injured, and the people who were trying to keep him alive.

Then I got hit.

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People rushed to help me and bandage my eye and face. I started to realize I wasn't seriously injured, and they helped me up when a cloud of tear gas came our way and everyone ran.

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I was leaning against a building trying to gather myself when folks starting smashing windows.

Important context: That seemed to happen as the situation escalated, the crowd's anger rose as rubber bullets + canisters hit. It didn't happen randomly or in isolation.

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I was lucky, the young man I was tweeting about, the one you see in those live streams, was not. I hope he's ok. I hope he makes it.

I hope no one else gets hurt. If that does happen, I hope there are EMTs nearby and ready.

Signing off, back to work tomorrow.

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When I was hit by a police projectile, an incident that is now part of an @ACLUMN class-action lawsuit against the MPD, I was trying to document what was happing to this man, and the efforts of people like @JaymalGreen to keep him alive. Never got a chance to finish.



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